Charged With Criminal Negligence for Not Using Them.

THE NORFOLK COUNTY CASE.

Mr. Ellyson Asked to Open the Case and the People Are Warm Over It-A Suit for Divorce-Bigamy Charged.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

NORFOLK, VA., Oct. 2 .- Coroner Batts to-day swore out a warrant against the Norfolk and Atlantic Terminal Company who operate the Sewell's Point Electric Railway, charging them with criminal negligence because no fender was upon their car which last week ran down in Norfolk and killed Lillie Bridges, a colored girl. The case will be heard next Pri-

NORFOLK COUNTY CASE.
Portsmouth City Democratic Committeemen Coleman, Jones and Halstead to day telegraphed State Chairman Ellyson asking that the committee reopen the Nor-folk county case, in order that the full committee may pass upon the question of whether the straightout or fusion candi dates shall be endorsed, and asking that the matter may be decided at the "House" primary. This is in accord with the general desire at Portsmouth, where there is a breach in the party as wide as a barn door, and the people are hot as pep-

THE MONEY DOWN. John Selp and associate, of Chillicothe, Ohio, who will convert the land into a monster truck farm, to-day paid \$37,500 cash for the Wallace tract of land on the cash for the Wahace tract of fail of the dismal swamp border, which they recent-ly contracted to buy. There are approxi-mately ten thousand acres in the tract. Louis Dishart to-day entered suit pray-ing to be divorced from his wife, Lenaing to be divorced from his wife, Lena. Petitioner recites that he married defendant here January 2, 1898, and they afterward separated; the defendant was married to Sam Davidson, at Eattimore, March 5, 1899, by Rev. Mr. Goidenberg, under a license granted by the Baltimore Court of Common Pleas.

Dishart, in prayer for a divorce, alleges, that his wife's remarriage was bigamous.

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS.

Virginia Members to Pay Yen Cents Each to National Order.

(Special Disputer to The Times, SUFFOLK, VA., October 2.—After a debate which consumed most of to-day's session, the State Convention of King's Daughters agreed that Virginia Daughters should pay ten cents each to the international order. It was decided by a vote of 89 to 61 to affiliate with the National Council of Women when the time shall be deemed expedient.

The report of Mrs. Lula C. McPhail, recording secretary, said that 1.171 new members had been received during the year. The report of Miss Virginia C. Talbott, county secretary of Richmond, showed twenty circles and 501 members in that city. Daughters agreed that Virginia Daugh-

in that city.
Mrs. F. K. Washington was elected delegate to the Interstate Convention

which will meet in November in Savannah, Ga. Greeting was telegraphed to the W. C. T. U., in session at Norfolk.

tion to Mrs Isabella Davis, international

Wedded in Roancke.

(Special Dispatch to The Thors.)
ROANOKE, VA., Oct. 2.—Miss Zulah K.,
Davis, of Illinois, who has been visiting Pavis, of limited, who are occurred for relatives in Henry county, started for home to-day, accompanied by Ben M. Towner, of Martinsville, who was to stop here and return on the afternoon train. On the train the couple decided to marry, and when Ronnoke was reached a license was obtained and the couple were married in the Hotel Posce De Leon by Rev. W. H. Harper. They returned to Martinsville.

Rey, W. H. Harpers They returned to Martinsville.

Ales Etta, second daughter of Mr. R.
A. Hoal, and F. N. Jeter, of the Norfolk and Western, were married to-night and left on the midnight train for Richmond.

Newman -Plummer.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Oct. 2—Mr. Richard Newman and Miss Frances Love Planmer were married at 8.30 o'clock to-night at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Rev.

J. Francis Ribble officiating.
After the ceremony they went to Nor-folk and left on a honeymoon in the North.

Roznoke Hospital Matter.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

ROANOICE, VA., October 2.—At a meeting of the hospital association and protestant pastors this morning, it was deadled to be able to the control of the decided to publish a statement in regard to the sale of the hospital and make an funds for an interde-

GANGER

Sufferers from this horrible malady nearly always inherit it — not necessarily from the parents, but may be from some remote ancestor, for Cancer often runs through several generations. This deadly poison may lay dormant in the blood for years, or until you reach middle life, then the first little sore or ulcer makes its appearance—or a swollen gland in the breast, or some other part of the body,

rives the first warning.

To cure Cancer thoroughly and permanently all the poisonous virus must be climinated from the blood—every vestage of it driven out. This S. S. S. does, and is the only medicine that can reach deep-scated, obstinate blood troubles like this. When all the poison has been forced out of the system the Cancer heals, and the

disease never returns. Cancer begins often in a small way, as the following letter from Mrs. Shirer shows: A small pimple came on my jaw about an inch below the car on the left side of my face. It gave

A small pimple came on my jaw about an inch below the car on the left side of my face. It gave me no pain or inconvencince, and I should have forgotten about it had it not begun to inflame and little, then scab over, but would not heal. This continued for some time, when my jaw began to swell, be coming very painful. The Cancer began to eat and spread, until it was as large as a half dollar, when I heard of S. 8. S. and determined to give it a fair trial, and it was remarkable what a wonderful effect it had from the very beginning; the sore began to heal and after taking a few bottles disappeared entirely. This was two years ago; there are still no signs of the Cancer, and my general heath continues good.—Mrs. R. Shriker, La Plata, Mo.

is the greatest of all blood purifiers, and the

is the greatest or an blood purifiers, and the only one guaranteed purely vegetable. Send for our free book on Cancer, containing valuable and interest-ing information about this disease, and write our physicians about your case. We make no charge for medical advice.
THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

MOURNING IN MANY A FAMILY

Precious Lives That Might Have Been Saved

if Paine's Celery Compound Had Early Been Used

Instead of Putting Faith in Worthless Cure-Alls.

There should be new legislation against the exercise of crammal ignorance in times of sickness.

Many a good family is in mourning to-day for the loss of a relative who, when first the symptoms of serious sickness ap-peared, made the fatal mistake of simply

peared, made the fatal mistake of simply taking the wrong medicine.

As soon think of stopping the sun with a wave of the hand as of stopping the onward course of disease in the human system with any of the various patent concections under patent names so numerously in the market to-day.

There is but one remedy known to medicine that can bring new life and vigor to wornout nerves, restore to their normal candition the functions that depend upon

condition the functions that depend upon condition the fairth and properly nourished and fed, that cures sleeplessness, allays indigestion, sends healthy blood coursing gestion, sening hearing mode Cease-ithrough the veins, tones up the system, and makes the weak strong again, and that is Paine's celery compound—the dis-covery of the greatest of America's many

great physicians.

Paine's celery compound is not a patent medicine. It is the one prepared remedy that has the unqualified endorsement of those physicians whose knowledge and



HON, R. L. McKEE.

ability have made their names known not only among their immediate neighbors, but throughout the country. but throughout the country.

No other prepared remedy was ever recommended publicly or privately by the head of the medical department of a great university. No other remedy ever had the hearty, bona fide endorsement of the wives and households of the wealthiest as well as the poorer citizens in every community.

A single bottle, to be had of any repu-A single bottle, to be had of any reputable druggist, will prove its unequaled merit to any family when to-day some member suffers from the much-to-be-feared beginnings of what before the winter is past, unless attended to promptly, may prove to be the final breakdown.

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1. McKee, of Jefferson City, one of the

"Paine's celery compaund," says Hon. R. L. McKee, of Jefferson City, one of the oundest men in public life in Missouri, "Paine's celery compound is so well known that I feel that a recommendation from me can add very little weight, but I do wish to gratefully recommend it to

those who have never been so fortunate as to try it."

There is no season so favorable as this for taking advantage of the wonderfully ovating virtues of this remedy. begin the winter in poor health. Nature does little at this season to rejuvenate unaided the fagged-out brain or to restore to health the diseased nerves. Paine's elery compound nourishes perfectly the bodily system. It cures diseases of the important organs of digestion, circulation, and excretion, regulates the entire nervous system and supplies the body with strength to combat disease.

RIXEY IN WASHINGTON.

Called on President, Who Will Make Him Surgeon-General of Navy.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct., 2.-Dr. Rixey, formerly from Culpeper and a brother of Representative Rixey, was a caller at the White House this morning. Having just returned from Canton, where he has been attending Mrs. Mc-kinley, wife of the late president, he was able to tell President Roosevelt that Mrs. McKinley had slightly improved in health during the past week, a pleas-ant piece of news to President Roose-

Dr. Rixcy, it will be recalled, will be or. Rixey, it will be recalled will be given by President Roosevelt's appointment the highest medical office in the Navy upon the retirement of Surgeon-General W. K. VanReypen, now the Chief of the Bureau of Medicine and sur-

Walker-Lee.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) BALTIMORE, October 2.-Miss Sarah Fenner Lee, daughter of the late Colonel James Fenner Lee, of this State, was married at noon to-day to John Mosely Walker. The wedding took place health of the late of the late of the late. Mosely Walker. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's grandmother, Stephen S. Lee, Cardinal Gibbons

The maid of honor was Miss Sarah Fenner George.
The bridesmaids were Miss Ambel Lee

The bridesmaids were Miss Ambel Lee George and Miss Henrietta George, Miss Amabel Lee and Miss Juliana Keyser. The best man was Dr. Pierre Mallett, of New York, and the ushers were Dr. George Mallett, of New York; Mr. Robert Minebourn, Dr. William Redwood and Mr. Alvin Jones, of Baltimore.

Breakfast followed the ceremony. The bride is a member of several of the most distinguished colonial families of Maryland.

Virginians in Washington. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 2.-Virginians registered here to-night: D. E. Tavlor and wife, Charles Thomas, William Lannon and wife, W. G. Separk, Mrs. C. M. Shields and Miss Margaret Shields, Richmond; J. M. Dinges, Lorettsville; N. N. Palmer, Norfolk; Rev. Job Turner, Staunton, and J. C. Carpenter, Clifton

Mr. Alexander Easton, formerly of this city now of Galveston. Texas, has been appointed to the office of city assessor and tax collector of Galveston, a position which he formerly held.

FORTY YEARS

The Remarkable Record of Mr Charles Mander.

POLITICS IN KING GEORGE.

Cyclone Jim Will Mest a Tremendous Crowd at Spotsylvania Monday-Donation to Mary Washington Hospital.

Selected for The Times.)
FREDERICASBURG, VA., October ?.—
Mr. Charles Manuer, who is nearly 89 years old, and lor 40 years has denvered papers to customers in this city, has re-tired from the work. During all the time that he was a newsdealer he never failed to deliver his papers, in storm or sunshine, promptly on their arrival and never missed a day from his work. It is a most remarkable record. He is suc-ceeded in the business by Mr. N. S.

WARMING UP. WARMING UP.
The political campaign is warming up in this section. At King George court this week Congressman John F. Rixey and State Senator W. P. Barksdale, (Democrats), Ron. J. Hampton Hoge, (Republican), and others will speak. The Panuinliann will hold a big rally here. Republicans will hold a big rally here Thursday night, when their candidate for Governor, Mr. Hoge, will address the voters in the courthouse here. Others are also expected to speak.

At Spotsylvania Courthouse Monday

ex-Congressman James W. Marshall will speak and a tremendous crowd will turn out to hear him on the night of that day. Mr. Henry Warden, the extensive farmer who was nominated by the Re-pendents of this city and Spitsylvatia county, about whose acceptance there was some doubt, has formally accepted. With Mr. Warden for the riouse and Mr. Absaiom Waller for the State Sen ate in this district, the Republicans have a good team, but they also have strong men to oppose in the Democratic nomthees, Senator G. M. Wanate for enoughon to the Senate and Mr. J.

an interesting one.
PROPLE TALKED ABOUT. Dr. E. T. Jett, or Famouth, who has been ill for several morths, is out again. Rev. Hugh T. Musselman is just re-covering from a severe attack of typhoid

biscoe for the house. The fight will be

fever and is able to walk out.

Air. J. W. Jones, of Caroline county, who has been at the Mary Washington Hospital here for about two months, suffering from a severe stabbing, in-nicted by an employe on his farm in an

altercation, is able to sit up.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas H. Thomas, of
Baltimore, have donated to the Mary
Washington Hospital, to be used toward building the annex to that institution, the sum of \$700. Mr. Thomas is the pres-ident of the Merchants National Bank of Baltimore, and the donation is made in memory of his mother, Mrs. Annie Campbell Gordon Thomas, who was a sative of Falmouth, just above this city on the opposite side of the Rappahannock. Miss Ada Ashton, daughter of Mrs. Martha Ashton, of Spotsylvania county, died a few days are in Stanton of tr died a few days ago in Staunton of ty phoid fever.

Faper-Sayers.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) WYTHEVILLE, VA., Oct. 2.—Hal C. Raper, of Austiaville, was married to Miss Julia Stuart Sayers, only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. R. Sayers, at their home on Union Street, at 7 o'clock last evening.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Hall, of this place, and Rev. Mr. Bothwick, of Austinville, Robert Sayers, Jr., brother of the bride, was the groom's best man, and Miss Hazel Raper the young and attractive sister of the groom, was the maid of honor. The bride is one of Wytheville's prettiest and most attractive young ladies and is well known throughout this State. She is beloved by all who know her. Mr. Raper is the eldest son of Captain John C. Raper, president of the Wythe Lead and Zinc Company, and is one of the most prosperous farmers of this section. The marriage was very quiet, owing to recent deaths in the families, only the relatives and special friends being invited.

The residence was beautifully deco-rated with dahlias, golden rod and potted plants. After the ceremony a sumpthous repast was served, after which the couple left on the eastbound train for a bridal tour to northern cities. They will make their home at the beautiful resi-dence of the groom's father, near Austinville. Va.

Hampden-Sidney Graduates. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

HAMPDEN-SIDNEY, VA., October 2.—
The members of last year's graduating class are this session located as follows: Finley M. Eversole, post graduate, is teaching in Potomac Academy, Romney, W. Va.; Louis S. Eppes, post-graduate, is teaching in the Horner Military Academy, N. C.; Thomas W. Hooper, Jr., post-graduate, is professor at Hoge Military Academy, Blackstone, Va.; C. F. Bell teaches Latin,Greek and History in Cluster Springs Academy; Francis A. Brown is in charge of the Y. M. C. A. work at South Boston; Arthur H. Clarke is at Johns Hopkins University; Peyton Cochran is pursuing HAMPDEN-SIDNEY, VA., October 2 .thur H. Clarke is a Johns Topkins Chrycesity; Peyton Cochran is pursuing post-graduate work at Princeton University; L. Leslie Davis is teaching mathematics in Locust Dale Academy, Va.; Thomas R. English, Jr., has a position in the American National Bank of Richemans, E. Fullt and H. H. Murre are mond; R. E. Fultz and H. H. Munroe are attending Union Theological Seminary, Richmond; Hastings Hawks is teaching

A New Departure. A TOURNAMENT

A NEWSDEALER A New, Effectual and Convenient Cure for Catarrh.

Of catarrh remedies there is no end, but of catarrh cures, there has always been a great scarcity. There are many remedies to relieve, but very few that really cure.

The old praceice of snuffing salt water through the nose would often relieve and the washes, douches, powders and inhal-



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The use of inhalers and the application of salves, washes and powders to the nose and throat to cure catarri is no more reasonable than to rub the back to cure kidney discuse. Catarri is just as much a blood discase as kidney trouble or rheumatism and it cannot be cured by local treatment any more than they can be.

To cure catarrh, whether in the head, throat or stomach an internal antiseptic treatment is necessary to drive the catarrhal poison out of the blood and system and the new catarrh cure is designed on this pian aux the remarkable success of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is because being used internally, it drives out catarrhal infection through action upon stomach, liver and bowels.

Wm. Zimmerman, of St. Joseph, relates an experience with catarrh which is of value to millions of catarrh sufferers everywhere. He says: "I neglected a slight nasal catarrh until it gradually extended to my throat and bronchial tubes and finally even my stomach and liver became affected, but as I was able to keep up and do a day's work I let it run along until my hearing began to fall me and then I realized that I must get rid of catarrh or lose my position as I was clerk and my hearing was absolutely necessary.

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"Some of my friends recommended an inhaler, another a catarrh salve but they were no good in my case, nor was anything else until I heard of Stuart's Catarrh aTbiets and bought a package at my drug store. They benefited me from the start and in less than four months I was completely cured of catarrh although I had suffered nearly all my life from it.

They are pleasant to take and so much more convenient to use than other catarrh remedies that I feel I cannot say enough in favor of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets."

A little book on cause and cure of ca-

lets."

A little book on cause and cure of catarrh will be mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., and the tablets are sold by all druggists in the United States and Canada.

English in the Smithœal Business College, Richmond; W. Elliott Jones is fellow of mathematics and English at Hampden-Sidney; Wm. M. Kemper is teaching in Shenandoah Valley Academy, Va.; Alexander Martin is a chemist with the Read Phosphate Co., Charleston, S. C.; W. A. McAllister is recovering from typhoid fever at Covington; Samuel E. Osbourne is a professor in Freder

ton, S. C.; W. A. McAllister is recovering from typhoid fever at Covington; Samuel E. Osbourne is a professor in Fredericksburg College; H. M. Roberts is teaching in the graded school at Scottsville, Va.; G. Chapin Robeson is with the Farmville Manufacturing Company; while Robert H. Vedo is fellow of Latin and Greek at Hampden-Slöney.

Concerning other old students, Harry Bowden, 1901, is taking law at the University of Virginia; W. Bruce Bufurd, 1900, has been appointed principal of the South Boston (Va.) graded school; Rev. Robert M. Mann, 1800, has given up the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church at Hot Springs, Va., which he has held for a year and a half, and accepted a charge in Clinton, N. C.; Moir S. Martin is studying medicine in Richmond; J. Curtis Parsons is taking the medical course at the University of Pennsylvania.

FATAL SHOOTING.

Result of Whiskey and Quarrel Over a Weman.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
HHLLSVILLE, VA., October (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

HILLSVILLE, VA., October 2.—

A serious shooting affray occurred near Sylvestus, in this county, on last Sunday night, between John Tipton, of Wythe county and John Hyatt, of Sylvestus, Carroll county, in which Hyatt probably received his death wound. There are several conflicting stories in circulation with reference to the matter, so it would be useless to attempt to give particulars. This much, however, is known; they were both in liquor and a woman is connected with the trouble.

One report says they were riding in a carriage together; another, however, claims that Hyatt was walking away when Tipton fired on him, but as Hyatt's wound is in the bowels, the balls having passed through him and lodging near the back bone, it appears that they were facing each other wenn the shot was fired.

Dr. Dunkley was called to the assistance of the wounded man and did what he could for him, but at once decided that the wound was necessarily fatal, as the bowels were so badly perforated. Tipton immediately left for parts unknown.

Geiman-Mock.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

LEESBURG, VA., Oct. 2.—Mr. Wade
Gelman and Miss Ada Mock were married this morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of Mr. W. F. Lynn, near Bluemont, the Rev. I. B. Lake officiating. Mr. Geiman is a well known farmer residng near Bloomfield, this county.

Miss Lucy Davis, who has been on an extended trip to Europe, in company with Miss Edith Smith, has returned to her home, in Williamsburg.

MUSIC AT BERRY'S.

Following is the programme to be rendered at O. H. Berry & Co's. opening this evening by Thilow's Orchestra. Reception 8 to 10 o'clock. The public is cordially invited:

PROGRAMME.

1.	March—Americaine, :				: Ganne
2.	Selection—The Singing Girl,	•		:	Herbert
3.	Waltz-Jolly Fellows, :				: Vollstedt
4.	Creole Belles-Two-Step,	1;			Lampe
5.	Gavotte-In Nature's Garden,		V: 5		: Berlinger
6.	Selection-Florodora, :			:)	Stuart
7.	Mosquitoes Parade - A Jersey	Re	view		: Whitney
8.	March-Prize of Victory	:		:	Scouton
9.	Selection—San Toy, :				: Jones
10.	Waltz-Homage to the Ladies	s,		:	Waldteufel
11.	The Rag Time Sports, :				: Huack
12.	Air de Ballet-Love's Whispe	ers,			Marks
13.	Selection-Faust, : :				: Gounod
14.	A Warm Reception, :		201		Anthony
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IN PETERSBURG

Will be Made Part of Grand Camp Entertainment.

OLD CITIZEN CRITICALLY ILL.

A Test of a Fire Engine Proves it to Be Not Worthy of Trust - Electric Rallway Case to Go to United States Court.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) PETERSBURG, VA., Oct. 2.-The young men interested in the tournament to be given in Petersburg during the sesion of the Grand Camp of Confederate Veterans this month Lormunated plans last night at a meeting held in the Venna Men's Proposition of the Confederate Veterans to the Confederate Veterans at high table and the Confederate Veterans at the Confederate Veterans and the Confederate Veterans are considered in the Veterans and the Confederate Veterans and the Confederate Veterans are considered in the Veterans and the Confederate Veterans a Young Men's Business Association, The list of knights who have entered is large enough to insure the success of the tournament. Rings will be put in position at West End Park next week, and practice for the tournament will then begin.

The Democrats to-night at ward meetings elected delegates to the City Con-vention, which selects sixteen delegates to the Senatorial Convention. Each ward elected three members of the City Central Committee.

CRITICALLY ILL. Mr. R. T. Arrington, one of the oldest citizens of Petersburg, is critically ill at his home on Washington Street. He rallied from an attack which he suffered Sunday, but suffered a relapse last night. His sons, R. T. Arirngton, Jr., and Ivey Arrington, of Richmond, reached Petersburg this afternoon.
Mr. R. E. Young formerly councilman

from Sixth Ward, is seriously ill at his home on Washington Street.

The Hustings Court this evening adjourned for the term.

A POOR ENGINE.

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The test to-day of the two fire steamers owned by this city clearly demonstrated the fact that the old engine. which has recently been repaired, is unfit for use. For about three minutes this engine pumped a fairly good stream, but at the end of that time its power became weaker, until the stream sent forth was no stronger than the water pressure. The Fraternal Mystic Circle held a

smoker at the Odd-Fellows' Hall to-

Judge Mullen decided to-day that the petition of the Richmond and Petersburg Electric Railway Company for the appointment of five commissioners to assess property in Petersburg belonging to Louis E. Spencer, trustee, could be removed to the United States District

moval was argued before Judge Mulien moval was argued before Judge Millen
last Thursday and again yesterday.
Spencer was represented by R. B. Davis,
of Petersburg, and Miles M. Martin, of
Elchmond, and the company by the general counsel, William L. Royall, of Elchmond, and R. H. Mann, of Petersburg.

GERMAN CLUB.

The Nickel Courses, Cub expenied.

The Virginia German Club organized last night. The officers are: Hugh Percivall, president; James Dunn Martin, vice-president, and Hamilton Seabury, secretary and treasurer. The first german will be given this month.

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The Executive Committee of the Central State Hospital will consider bids for the quarter's supplies to-morrow.

BURNED HIS HANDS. In Seward's trunk factory this morning a trunk being slided from the bench caused a match to ignite. The match fell into a bucket of varnish and set it on

Ernest Moore attempted to throw the bucket out of the window, and, varnish spilling on him, caught fire. His hands were badly burned.

Several friends from Petersburg, went to Richmond yesterday to attend the Glasgow-Branch wedding: Among them were: the Misses Lassiter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton, Mrs. Alexander Hamil-

ton, Mrs. and Miss McGill. Mrs. Hampden Sidney Lewis, of New Orleans, who has been visiting Miss Mary Patteson, in Petersburg, left yesterday afternoon to visit her friend, Mrs. Billups, of Norfolk. Miss Man Davis returned to Petersburg vesterday, after spending the summer in

to-day, after spending the summer in Nova Scotla, Canada, and Northern cities, including Buffalo. Mr. Bartlett Roper, Jr., spent Sunday and yesterday with friends in Lynchburg, The engagement of Mr. D'Arcy Went-

worth Roper, formerly of this city, but worth Roper, formerly of this city, but now of London, Eng., and Miss Elizabeth Holmes Powell, of Cleveland, Ohio, is announced. The wedding will take place the last of December in Cleveland. Miss May Ellen Whyte, who has been spending the summer in Radford, will return to Petersburg next week. Miss Annie Wilson, who spent August

and September at Amelia Springs, returned home Tuesday.
In the absence of Dr. W. F. Drewry of the State Central Hospital, Petersburg

his paper on the treatment of epileptics in Virginia was read by Rev. J. B. Dunn, of the Episcopal Church.

HOTEL FOR A SCHOOL.

A Railroad to Be Held to Contract-Professor Beardsworth's Bedy Not Found. (Special Dispatca to The Times.)

WINCHESTER, VA., Oct. 2.—The Com-mon Council has taken the initiative in a proposition made by Handley executors looking to a purchase of the Hotel Win-chester property for the Handley Schools, which are to be established here as di-rected by the late Judge John Handley in his will. The board of Handley trustees have

been invited by the Council to take the matter under consideration. About 94 cres are included in the hotel property and several parties hold liens upon it.

The Council has also taken steps to compel the Winchester and Strasburg Railroad Company to comply with its agreement with the city to pave, grade and curb the street through which its tracks run. Although the agreement was made on February 21, 1870, the Council's attention was only recently called to the fact that the railroad was in default in

performance of its contract. performance of its contract.

Up to a late hour this afternoon the body of Professor W. H. Beardsworth, who was drowned in Naked Creek, near Shenandoah, ha dnot been found. Over 200 men have been searching. They succecded in finding his collar, overcoat and some underwear three miles below the fording place.

> Feartul Accident. (Special Dispatch to The Times.)

EAST RADFORD, VA., Oct. 2.—Rover Tinsley, son of James Tinsley, fell from a hickory tree here this evening and fracured his thigh, the bone protruding and into the earth. His face is

Lexington Veteran Delegates.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)

LEXINGTON, VA., Oct. 2.—The LeaJackson Camp of Confederate Veterens, of
Lexington, have elected the following
delegates to the meeting of the Virginia
Grand Camp, to be held at Petersburg
October 23; William A Anderson and A.

Waddell Delegates to the Virginia A. Waddell. Delegates to the Virginia Division of United Confederate Veterans: John Sheridan and P. L. Huffman.

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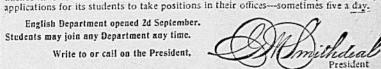
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tional Necessity.

(By Associated Press.) SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Oct. 2.-Harvis Jordan, of Georgia, president of the Southern Interstate Cotton Growers' Associa-tion, read a paper on "The Nicaragua Canal; Its Importnee to the South and Southwest," at the Farmers' National

He declared that the canal was "a great net declared that the canal was "a great national necessity," and that while the South and West would get a large share of benefit, the East would also profit. He declared that the transcontinental railroads were bringing heavy pressure to bear on Congress to defeat the canal leg-islation, and the producing classes ought to make a counter demonstration. He said the railroads were shortsighted in roads were bringing heavy press said the railroads were shortsighted in opposing the canal, as the increased busi-ness which would come to them from an expansion of trade would more than off-set traffic losses to the canal or resulting

set traffic losses to the canal or resulting from decreased rates.

The speaker referred to President Mc-Kinley's Buffalo speech, pledging the administration to support the project, and expressed the belief that President Roosevelt would carry out that policy. He helieved the canal would pay interest on its cost and operating expenses, and a good income in addition, with seventy cents per ton less toll than charged by the Suez canal.

Congress was practically united in favoring the canal, and it is likely that strong resolutions in its favor will be adopted. Discussion developed the fact that the

Delegate Wicks, of Massachusetts, made an address on "The Rice Industry of the South."

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Mayor Harrison Has Ordered Police to Prevent It-Anarchist Organ Out Again. (By Associated Press,)

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